Marine Ecosystems: Western Pacific Perspective

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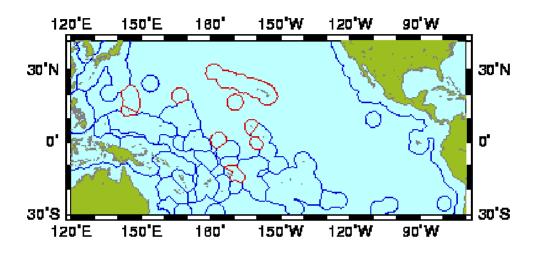
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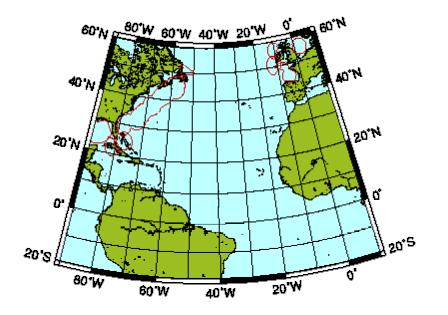
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The US Pacific EEZ





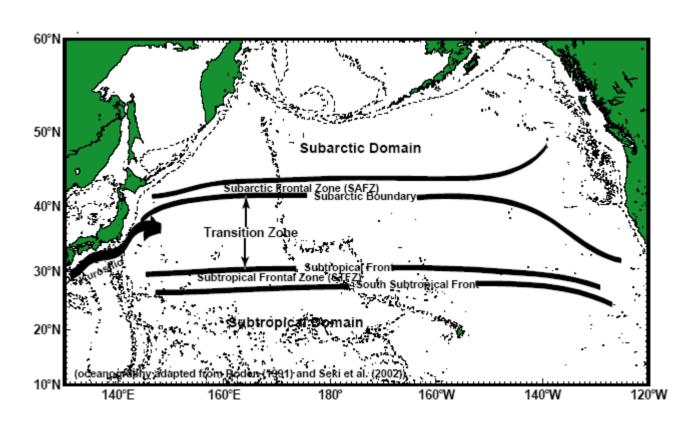


WP Council FMPs

- Coral Reef Ecosystem FMP
 - Focused on reefs and reef resources
 - Limits of reefs (euphotic ~100m)
 - MPAs
 - Jurisdictional issues
- Archipelagic Ecosystems
 - Focused on demersal species
 - Entire EEZs
 - Individual islands
- Pelagics FMP
 - Ecosystem aspects under development
 - Likely to include both predator (i.e. HMS) and prey (i.e. squids)

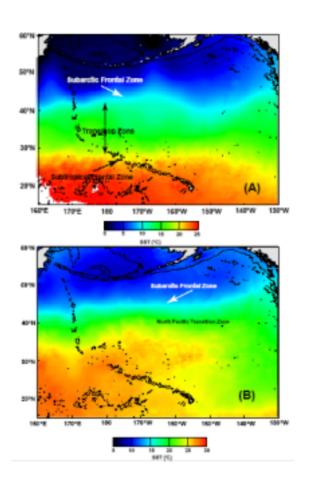


North Pacific Transition Zone





Summer and Winter SST





Longhurst LMEs

